

unintended consequences. I urge the Congress to pass this legislation.

IN RECOGNITION OF MR. DEAN
JANEWAY

HON. FRANK PALLONE, JR.

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, October 5, 2011

Mr. PALLONE. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to congratulate Mr. Dean Janeway, President and Chief Operating Officer of Wakefern Food Corporation, on the occasion of his retirement. Mr. Janeway has dedicated forty years of service to the Wakefern Food Corporation and has been a catalyst for the organization's expansion and advancement throughout the Northeast. His outstanding commitment is undoubtedly worthy of this body's recognition.

Mr. Dean Janeway's commitment to Wakefern Food Corporation is a testament to his outstanding character. Mr. Janeway joined the Wakefern team in the 1960s as a Junior Accountant. He later earned a position as Executive Vice President before being named President and Chief Operating Officer in 1995. As a member of the Wakefern team, Mr. Janeway took every opportunity to learn the intricate aspects of the business. He has overseen the largest expansion in the organization's history and managed the advancement to become the premier supermarket retailer in the Northeast. Under Mr. Janeway's direction, Wakefern has also experienced significant expansion in its membership base resulting in the growth of its retail sales by more than 150 percent. Mr. Janeway also continues to direct Wakefern's corporate giving endeavors, spearheading Wakefern's fight against hunger.

In addition to his professional responsibilities at Wakefern, Mr. Janeway served as a member of various prestigious boards including the Board of Directors of the Eastern Frosted Foods Association, EFFA, and is past President of the Eastern Perishable Products Association, EPPA. Among other prestigious positions, he has also admirably served on the Board of Directors of the national Grocers Association and is a member of the Board of the national Co-op Bank. Mr. Janeway presently sits on the Board of Directors of Insure-Rite, Ltd and in 2009 began his reign as Chairman of the University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey's Finance Committee.

As a result of his outstanding accomplishments, Mr. Janeway is the recipient of various prestigious awards including the Modern Grocer's annual Publisher's Award for Lifetime Achievement, the New Jersey Food Council's Lifetime Achievement Award and the Food Marketing Institute's Herbert Hoover Award. His humanitarian work was honored by the Special Olympics of New Jersey in 2009 and earlier this year he was recognized by the Archdiocese of Newark at their annual Business and Labor Recognition Reception for his support for various charitable causes. Mr. Janeway is a graduate of Rutgers University, a father of three adult children and currently resides in South Mantoloking, New Jersey with his wife MaryAnn.

Mr. Speaker, once again, please join me in thanking Mr. Dean Janeway for his out-

standing contribution to the Wakefern Food Corporation and wishing him the best as he begins to enter the next chapter of his life.

A CONGRESSIONAL RESOLUTION
RECOGNIZING MACY REYNOLDS
ON HER INDUCTION INTO THE
GREENE COUNTY WOMEN'S HALL
OF FAME

HON. STEVE AUSTRIA

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, October 5, 2011

Mr. AUSTRIA. Mr. Speaker, on behalf of the people of Ohio's Seventh Congressional District, I rise today to recognize Ms. Macy Reynolds for her induction into the Greene County Women's Hall of Fame.

Ms. Macy Reynolds along with five other candidates was from a pool of many worthy women to receive this honor, and thus, she was nominated for her great endeavors in the field of Horticulture.

Ms. Reynolds, a teacher by profession, taught in Mad River Schools and as an adjunct at the University of Dayton. Becoming a Master Gardner in 1998, she has taught many educational programs and volunteered in many public gardens all over Greene County. An Ohio certified insect, weed and tree specialist, Macy has removed invasive species from various locations around Greene County while also working hard to restore prairies by harvesting and planting seeds in their natural areas. Macy also put together an educational program for the Miami Valley Juvenile Rehabilitation Center in Xenia. The resident youth attend gardening classes, plant and care for the garden. The produce from these gardens are then donated to the local Fish Food Pantry. She is also a founding member of the Midwest Native Plant Society and has worked to maintain the Women's Park in Yellow Springs where she also serves as secretary of the Tree Committee. Ms. Macy also was Greene County's first representative to the Heritage Garden Ambassador Program.

Thus, with great pride, I congratulate Ms. Macy Reynolds for her exemplary service to Greene County and extend best wishes for the future.

BISHOP DUNNE HIGH SCHOOL

HON. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, October 5, 2011

Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor Bishop Dunne Catholic School in Dallas, Texas for 50 years of educational excellence. Bishop Dunne is a coeducational, college preparatory school which serves grades 6 through 12.

The students here are our best and our brightest, and with encouragement and support from their principals and teachers, these students are achieving remarkable success. Because of the high quality education the students at Bishop Dunne and other schools like

it are receiving, they can have the opportunity to live the American dream—to do anything they want to do, to go on to a great college or university of their choice, and to pursue any career path that sparks their interest.

In 1961, Bishop Dunne Catholic School began under the name Our Lady of Good Counsel High School. The Sisters of St. Mary of Namur had established two girls' high schools in Dallas; Our Lady of Good Counsel Academy in Oak Cliff in 1901 and St. Edward's Academy in East Dallas in 1912. At the request of the Diocese of Dallas, the Sisters agreed to close the two high schools and invite students from them to be part of a new entity, a diocesan sponsored high school. In 1963, the name of the school was officially changed to Bishop Dunne in honor of one of the first bishops of Dallas. In 1969, the school officially became coeducational.

Core values Bishop Dunne instills in its students and counts as a priority are spiritual growth and faith development; academic excellence in an innovative and creative environment; formation in a positive and nurturing environment; commitment to fellowship, social justice and community service; appreciation of individual uniqueness and value; commitment to social and civic responsibilities and to global leadership and; Service to a multi-cultural community.

Mr. Speaker, my community and our country benefits immensely from the educational excellence Bishop Dunne Catholic School continues to provide. I congratulate them on 50 years of service.

MOURNING THE LOSS OF REV.
FRED SHUTTLESWORTH AND RE-
FLECTING ON HIS LEGACY

HON. CHARLES B. RANGEL

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, October 5, 2011

Mr. RANGEL. Mr. Speaker, I am deeply saddened to learn today of the passing of a great man, Reverend Fred Shuttlesworth, who was truly an American hero and a committed civil rights legend. His life and dedication fighting in Birmingham, Alabama, on behalf of the segregated black community will never be forgotten.

The Reverend helped create the Southern Christian Leadership Conference with Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. and Ralph Abernathy and served as secretary for several years. During his lifetime, Rev. Shuttlesworth was beaten and arrested several times for his activism. His church and home had even been bombed, but he persevered in his struggle. The many sit-ins and boycotts he led helped advance a people and a nation forward from the evils of segregation to enjoy many of the freedoms we have today.

As we reflect on the sad passing of one of the greatest inspirations of the Civil Rights movement, I hope everyone back in his hometown, Birmingham, Alabama, and across the nation reflects on his legacy with gratitude and admiration. I speak on behalf of all the people of New York's 15th Congressional District when I say we are all thankful for what Rev. Shuttlesworth accomplished.

CONGRATULATING THE LINCOLN MAGNET SCHOOL ON BEING NAMED A 2011 NATIONAL BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL

HON. AARON SCHOCK

OF ILLINOIS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, October 5, 2011

Mr. SCHOCK. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor Lincoln Magnet School in Springfield, Illinois for being named a 2011 National Blue Ribbon award winner in high academic performance. Lincoln Magnet School was only one of 17 public and private schools in the state of Illinois and one of 304 schools nationwide to receive this prestigious honor.

Lincoln Magnet School serves 321 students in sixth, seventh and eighth grade. It incorporates technology in the classroom by providing each student with an individual laptop. The school has previously been recognized as an Apple Distinguished School, one of a select number of schools nationwide to receive that elite honor. Their vision is to "prepare students to be outstanding global citizens in an ever-changing technological world." Lincoln Magnet School has not only met this goal, but has exceeded it.

Lincoln Magnet School is the type of institution more schools should emulate. Students at the school have also consistently demonstrated high academic performance—outscored their peers at the state level in every category. For example, 95% of students in 2010 met the State of Illinois' benchmark in mathematics with 44% of students exceeding the benchmark. In reading, 96% of students achieved the reading benchmark and 33% exceeded it.

The staff and leadership of Lincoln Magnet School have also partnered with local agencies in order to offer numerous educational opportunities to their students. At a time when employers in my district lament the lack of skills in the workforce, I am proud to see schools such as Lincoln Magnet School utilize laptops, virtual lab experiences and other types of technology to better prepare their students for the technical demands of the future.

The one-to-one laptop environment present at Lincoln Magnet School offers students the ability to answer their own questions while also incorporating real-world experiences into the classroom. Virtual science laboratories make difficult concepts easier to understand. The prevalent use of different types of technology means a student never stops learning.

Once again, I congratulate the teachers, staff, students, parents and community members of Lincoln Magnet School for all of their hard work in achieving the National Blue Ribbon award.

COMMEMORATING THE LIFE OF NANCY KEENAN

HON. MICHAEL G. FITZPATRICK

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, October 5, 2011

Mr. FITZPATRICK. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor the life of Nancy Keenan of Perkasi, Pennsylvania. Born and raised in South-eastern Pennsylvania, Nancy was truly com-

mitted to the well-being of her friends and neighbors, particularly to the senior citizens of Bucks County.

A self-educated woman, Nancy became an integral part of her community, serving as member of the Perkasi Borough Council, a frequent columnist for her local paper, the Morning Call, the chairperson of the Bucks County Area Agency on Aging Advisory Council, and a member of the Southeast Regional Council of the Pennsylvania Council on Aging.

Of all the projects Nancy was a part of during her remarkable life, one of the dearest to her was the foundation of the new Pennridge Community Senior Center in Silverdale. While the task of raising funds to build this new center was no small undertaking, Nancy patiently and diligently persevered until the project was completed. Her advocacy for the senior citizens of Bucks County goes well beyond the construction of a single building, and this new center will stand as a testament to her hard work and dedication for generations to come.

IN RECOGNITION OF THE 75TH ANNIVERSARY AND DIAMOND JUBILEE CELEBRATION OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF COLORED PEOPLE NEW YORK STATE CONFERENCE

HON. CHARLES B. RANGEL

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, October 5, 2011

Mr. RANGEL. Mr. Speaker, today I rise with great pride and as a life member to recognize the 75th Anniversary and Diamond Jubilee Celebration of our beloved NAACP New York State Conference.

On October 7 thru Oct. 9, 2011, The New York State Conference of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) will host its 75th Anniversary Conference and Diamond Jubilee Celebration, at the Westin Times Square Hotel and Conference Center in New York City. The Celebration will honor the rich history of the NAACP and examine critical issues challenging all New Yorkers. Delegates and participants will enjoy interactive workshops on education, health, civic engagement, economic empowerment and criminal justice.

The NAACP New York State Conference has been a vital programmatic component of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People for 75 of the 102-year history of the oldest, most effective and most respected civil rights organization in the Nation. The New York State Conference has played a pivotal role in moving the agenda for freedom and equality forward under the leadership of dynamic State Conference Presidents, each of whom addressed critical issues during their tenure.

Dr. James E. Allen, the first President, took on the challenge of expanding the number of branches all across the state. From 1936 to 1952, the number of branches grew from 15 to 45, providing local civil rights advocacy in every corner of the state on a wide range of issues. The succeeding Presidents have built on that solid foundation and added to the scope and innovative advocacy techniques. They were Mrs. Effie Gordon, Dr. Eugene T.

Reed, Judge William Booth, Donald Lee, Raphael Dubard and the current President, my sister, Dr. Hazel N. Dukes.

Through its seventy-five year history, the New York State Conference has been a leading force in driving the missions and goals of the Association. The first Prison Branch of NAACP was chartered in New York. The Youth and College Division grew as a vigorous power to be reckoned with, and continues to be outspoken and on the front line of advocacy today.

Under the leadership of Dr. Hazel Dukes and the first Executive Director David Bryant, Esq. the New York State Conference State opened its offices in lower Manhattan in 1978. Shortly before the historic Centennial Celebration of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People in 2009, the state conference relocated its office to a beautiful spacious Suite at 1065 Avenue of the Americas in Midtown Manhattan. The state-of-the-art office is run with an Administrative Assistant, support staffs and interns to facilitate activity throughout the state to the 56 adult units, Youth, and College Chapters from Harlem to Highland Falls, Brooklyn to Buffalo, Syracuse to Suffolk County, Albany to Amityville and all points in between.

New York State Conference Civil Rights Advocacy over the years has included historic demonstrations, marches and mobilizations. Like the memorable 160-mile march from New York City to Albany to underscore our civil rights issues, the Over-ground Railroad project to promote voter registration and voter participation throughout the State of New York, marches and demonstrations to protest police brutality and the murders of Michael Steward by Transit police and Eleanor Bumpers by Public Housing police. The New York State Conference held one of the largest demonstrations in Howard Beach to protest the racial murder of Michael Griffin and in Middletown, New York to protest the police murder of the son of NAACP branch President, Maude Bruce.

Reflecting on these important moments and milestones, President Hazel Dukes said, "The New York State Conference has been a vital component of the National NAACP for 75 of its 102-year history. We have played a pivotal role in moving the agenda for freedom and equality forward. The celebration of our 75th Anniversary gives the State Conference an opportunity to review past challenges, celebrate accomplishments and be emboldened by future possibilities." Members and guests of the NAACP from the tri-state area will participate in numerous events during this milestone weekend.

The Conference begins Friday, October 7 at noon with registration and the opening plenary at 2:30 p.m. At 7:30 p.m., the Rev. Dr. Gregory Smith, Senior Pastor and the Congregation of the historic Mother African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church will host an Ecumenical Service in Harlem featuring keynote speaker the Honorable Benjamin Todd Jealous, President and CEO of the National NAACP. The service will also highlight a performance by Vy Higginson's Gospel for Teens Choir, recently featured on CBS' 60 Minutes, by legendary News Correspondent Barbara Walters.

On Saturday, October 8 from 8:45 a.m. to 5 p.m., a number of interactive workshops and